

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES
INDIVIDUAL SURVEY FORM
(KHC 91-1)

COUNTY Lewis
RESOURCE# Lw-20
RELATED GROUP #
INTENSIVE DOC.
EVALUATION 5
DESTROYED

For instructions, see the Kentucky Historic Resources Survey Manual.

1. NAME OF RESOURCE (how determined): 1 /
Purcell - McGlone House
2. ADDRESS/LOCATION: South side of Engle Rd. approx.
1 mile west of Crooked Creek Rd. intersection
3. UTM REFERENCE:
Quad. Name: Manchester Islands, Ky - Ohio
Date: 1961 Zone:
Easting: 2 / 7 / 8 / 3 / 8 / 0 /
Northing: 4 / 2 / 8 / 3 / 8 / 6 / 0 /
Accuracy: A /
4. OWNER/ADDRESS:
mead Realty Group
5. FIELD RECORDER/AFFILIATION:
Karen Hudson / PCRA
6. DATE RECORDED: July 1992
7. SPONSOR: mead Realty Group
8. INITIATION: 3 /
9. OTHER DOCUMENTATION/RECOGNITION:
 Survey HABS/HAER
 KY Land Local Land
 NR ☒ R&C
 NHL
Other:
10. ORIGINAL PRIMARY FUNCTION: 0 / 1 / A /
Dwelling
11. CURRENT PRIMARY FUNCTION: 9 / 9 / ✓ /
Valant
12. CONSTRUCTION DATE: 6 / c. 1850 estimated
 / / / / / documented
13. DATE OF MAJOR MODIFICATIONS (specify):
3 / Chimney, porch, windows, dormer, rear additions
 / interior alterations - mantel, woodwork
14. CONSTRUCTION METHOD/MATERIAL:
2 / 3 / Log / Half Dovetail original
 / / subsequent
15. DIMENSIONS:
Height 1.5 Width 3 Depth 1
16. PLAN:
E / Hall - Parlor first
 / second
 / third
17. STYLISTIC INFLUENCE:
6 / Craftsman; / first
 / ; / second
 / ; / third
18. STYLE DEVELOPMENT:
 / first / second / third
19. FOUNDATION:
TYPE MATERIAL
 / / original
 / / replacement
20. PRIMARY WALL MATERIAL:
I / weatherboard original
 / replacement
21. ROOF CONFIGURATION/COVERING:
CONFIGURATION COVERING
A / gable, side / original
 / / replacement
22. CONDITION: G / good
23. MODIFICATION: 3 / Major
24. NEGATIVE FILE #: 92/08/ 2-9
Write resource # on back of all prints.
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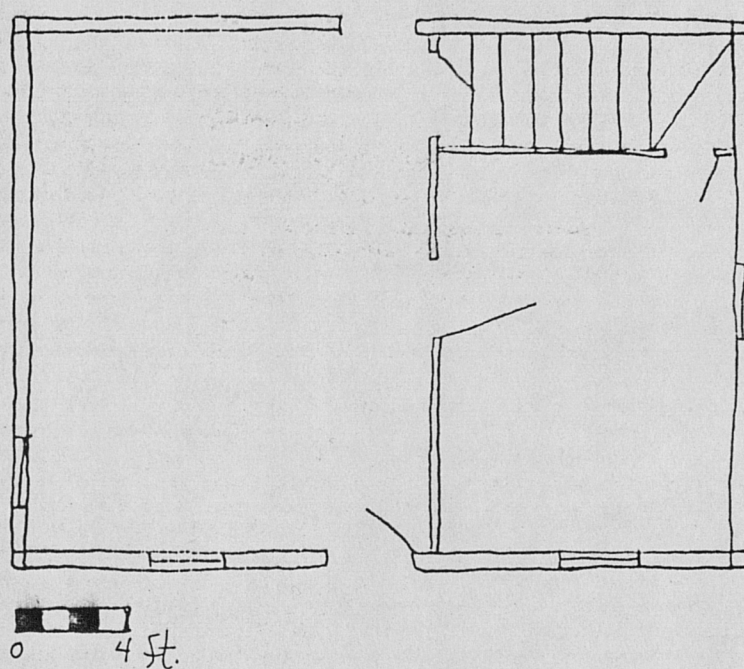


Figure 10. Plan of the Purcell-McGlone House (LW-20)



Plate 18. Purcell-McGlone House (LW-20)

Brice Virgin purchased land from John Stevenson in 1848 (Lewis County Deed Book K, page 268). His son, Mott Virgin, obtained ownership of the farm in 1907 (Lewis County Deed Book 28, page 90). In 1945, the farm, which was referred to as the "Brice Virgin Home Farm," was sold.

RECOMMENDATION: The form (dimension and stairway room) and construction method (post in the ground) of the Mott Virgin home are unusual. The pegged, timber frame barn appears to be of an earlier construction. Additional research is needed to determine the significance of the site.

SURVEY NUMBER: LW-21.1
FUNCTION: Dwelling
FORM: I-house
CONSTRUCTION: Frame
DIMENSIONS: 15'x15'
YEAR BUILT: ca. 1910
EVALUATION: Potentially eligible member of a group

DESCRIPTION: This balloon frame, two-story home was constructed by Mott Virgin around 1910 (Figure 11; Plates 19 and 20). It is a central-hall I-house with the stairs to the second floor located in an enclosed room on the front wall. The house has unusually small dimensions. Each room is approximately fifteen feet square, and the hallway is only about four feet wide. The room to the north has a post in the ground foundation. The south side room has a rough poured concrete foundation. The entire home has diagonal sheathing below weatherboard. The structure has three brick chimneys. One is located on the interior end of both of the main rooms, and one is located on the end of the stairway room. The interior is plastered. The building is in poor condition.